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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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In Re. Application Of : Luis Sanchez et al.
Serial No. : 09/881,074
Filed : 6/14/01
Title : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR TRACING PACKETS

SUBMISSION OF MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

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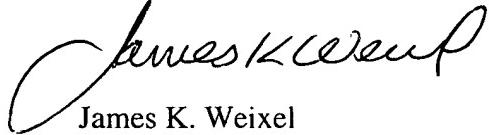
Dear Sir:

The following papers are submitted in response to Form PTO-1533, mailed 8/9/01, Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted. Acceptance and entry of these papers is respectfully requested. The Assistant Commissioner for Patents is authorized to charge my Deposit Account 07-2339 in the amount of \$130.00. The Assistant Commissioner for Patents is also authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment resulting from the papers submitted herewith to Deposit Account 07-2339. **This letter is submitted in duplicate.**

1. Declaration and Power of Attorney signed by Luis Sanchez, William Timothy Strayer, and Craig Partridge as required in the above-entitled application by the Formalities Letter.

Filing of these papers is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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